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TO AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM IMMEDIATE

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FROM EUR/NE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OTRA, SW

SUBJECT: GOTEBOG MAYOR'S REQUEST FOR USG SPEAKER

REF: STOCKHOLM 1100

1. AS POST AWARE, COMMERCE SECRETARY RICHARDSON NOT AVAILABLE TO SPEAK IN GOTEBOG IN TIMEFRAME SUGGESTED BY MAYOR HANSSON.

2. IN RESPONSE TO OUR INQUIRY, FREDERICK B. DENT, FORMER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE AND CURRENTLY SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE FOR TRADE NEGOTIATIONS IN THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, INDICATED TODAY THAT HE WOULD BE MOST INTERESTED IN VISITING SWEDEN IN MAY, PARTICULARLY IF SUCH VISIT COULD BE TIED IN WITH OTHER PLANNED TRAVEL IN EUROPE. AMBASSADOR DENT WOULD THUS BE AVAILABLE TO ACCEPT MAYOR HANSSON'S INVITATION FOR USG SPEAKER BEFORE INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL GROUP. AMBASSADOR DENT REQUESTS EMBASSY TO EXPLORE WITH MAYOR HANSSON MAY 14 FOR PLANNED GOTEBOG CONFERENCE. MAY  
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17 WOULD BE HIS SECOND CHOICE. PLEASE CABLE HANSSON'S

REACTION ASAP.

3. AMBASSADOR DENT EXPRESSED HOPE THAT HIS ONE-DAY VISIT TO GOTEBOG MIGHT ALSO INCLUDE VISIT TO ONE OR MORE

GOTEBOG AREA INDUSTRIAL PLANTS SUCH AS VOLVO. IN THIS CONNECTION, AND GIVEN BICENTENNIAL ASPECTS, AMBASSADOR DENT WOULD HOPE TO DELIVER TO MAYOR HANSSON GREETINGS OF THE MAYOR OF NORFOLK AND POSSIBLY OTHER VIRGINIA OFFICIALS IN RECOGNITION OF SUBSTANTIAL SWEDISH INVESTMENT IN NEW VOLVO PRODUCTION FACILITY IN CHESAPEAKE, VIRGINIA. KISSINGER

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